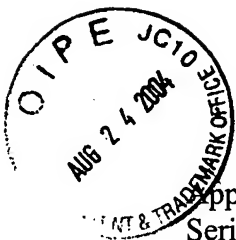


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Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the objections to the claims in the Office Action dated August 12, 2004, in light of the following.

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